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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated November 29, 2007, in the above-identified patent application.

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